

ELLIOTT COUNTY

KENTUCKY POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION PROFILE 2008-10



General Population Data				
•	County	Ку	US	
Total population	6,748	4,041,769	281,421,906	
Median household income	\$21,014	\$33,672	\$41,994	
Per capita income	\$12,067	\$18,093	\$21,587	
Living in poverty	25.9 %	15.8 %	12.4 %	
Eligible for Medicaid	30.5 %	17.6 %	na	
Without medical insurance	18.3 %	13.3 %	14.2 %	
Registered voters who voted in 2004 general election	56.4 %	64.7 %	70.9 %	
Unemployment rate	8.2 %	5.7 %	4.6 %	
Use the Internet at home	49.0 %	64.0 %	na	

Highest Lo	evel of	Education
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_	County	Ку	US
Less than a high school diploma or equivalent	47.4 %	25.9 %	19.6 %
High school diploma or equivalent	31.0 %	33.6 %	28.6 %
Some college but no degree	11.5 %	18.5 %	21.0 %
Associate's degree	2.2 %	4.9 %	6.3 %
Bachelor's degree or higher	7.8 %	17.1 %	24.4 %

Educational Pipeline

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High school graduates in 2006	59
In-state college-going rate for 2006 high school graduates	64.4 %
Kentucky Adult Education enrollments in 2006-07	247
GEDs awarded in 2006-07	8
Students entering postsecondary education in summer or fall 2006	53
Students earning an associate's degree in 2006-07	10
Students earning a bachelor's degree in 2006-07	13
Students earning a bachelor's degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics in 2006-07	8
Students earning a graduate or professional degree in 2006-07	8
Students enrolled in distance learning college courses in fall 2006	73
Students enrolled in Kentucky Virtual Campus courses in fall 2006	15
Bachelor's degree six-year graduation rate for 2006	35.0 %
Number of additional bachelor's degree holders needed in this county to match the national average	734

College Readiness

	County	Ку
Average ACT score	18.8	20.6
% entering college with developmental needs in one or more subjects	71.0 %	45.9 %
% entering college with developmental needs in mathematics	61.3 %	35.4 %
% entering college with developmental needs in English	41.9 %	28.6 %

Employment by Sector

	County	Ку
Agriculture, mining, & other natural resources	na	28,251
Manufacturing & construction	na	346,324
Retail, wholesale, transportation, & utilities	69	373,216
Finance, professional, & business services	na	258,647
Health & educational services	119	215,834
Government & public education	463	293,968
Leisure, hospitality, & other services	50	209,629

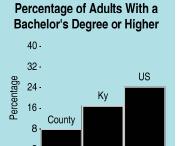
Undergraduates & Alumni

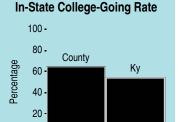
	Enrollment	Alumni
University of Kentucky	3	41
University of Louisville	1	4
Eastern Kentucky University	4	7
Kentucky State University	0	0
Morehead State University	174	294
Murray State University	0	0
Northern Kentucky University	0	3
Western Kentucky University	0	0
KCTCS	87	80
Independent colleges & universities	9	25
Total from this county	278	454

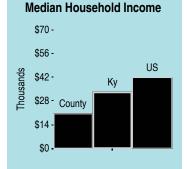
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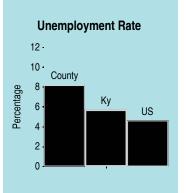
	Dollars	Awards
Federal Pell awards	\$285,094	97
Federal loans	\$141,107	24
Kentucky Ed. Excellence Scholarships (KEES)	\$121,645	81
Kentucky need-based grants	\$84,527	53

KEY FACTS









Sources: US Census 2000, US Department of Education, Kentucky Department of Education, Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority, Kentucky Office of Employment and Training, ACT, Inc, Kentucky State Board of Elections, Dave Leip's Atlas of U.S. Presidential Elections, US Census Small Area Health Insurance Estimates Program, Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services, ConnectKentucky, Kentucky Adult Education, and the Council on Postsecondary Education. Complete descriptions of sources and methodologies may be found in the technical notes at the end of the 2008-10 County Profiles or through the Kentucky Postsecondary Education Data Portal at the Web address below.



